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Exhibit 19

From: Ted Olson
To: LANLAB:pulvb@rb9.swrcb.ca.gov
Date: 5/6/02 11:24AM
Subject: Chevron - Belt St. Pipeline Rupture

Barry,

I am writing you to confirm what we discussed in our phone conversation last Friday. We discussed the RWQCB's request for a Workplan and Site Conceptual Model to delineate the extent of gasoline contamination and potential migration pathways.

On Friday I met with Ron Kofron, Senior Project Manager with Geocon, to discuss the Belt St. Pipeline Rupture. I asked Ron to prepare a proposal to do the Workplan and Site Conceptual Model as requested.

I asked if the Board was going to consider the due date for these two reports to be 30 days from April 9, 2002, the date of the Summary of Public Hearing.

You responded that the Board still considers the due date to be January 25, 2002 as originally set in the Directive for Groundwater Investigation Report Pursuant to California Water Code Section 13267, Belt Street Pipeline Rupture, San Diego, California, dated November 13, 2001. However, you also stated that as long as the Board sees positive progress being made to comply with the directive it will not pursue civil penalties.

We intend to comply with the directive and will keep you informed as to our progress. If you have any concerns or questions please let me know. Please acknowledge that my understanding of the due date agrees with the Board's intention. Thanks.

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